

**Performance Measures
Fourth Judicial District
Probate / Mental Health Division**

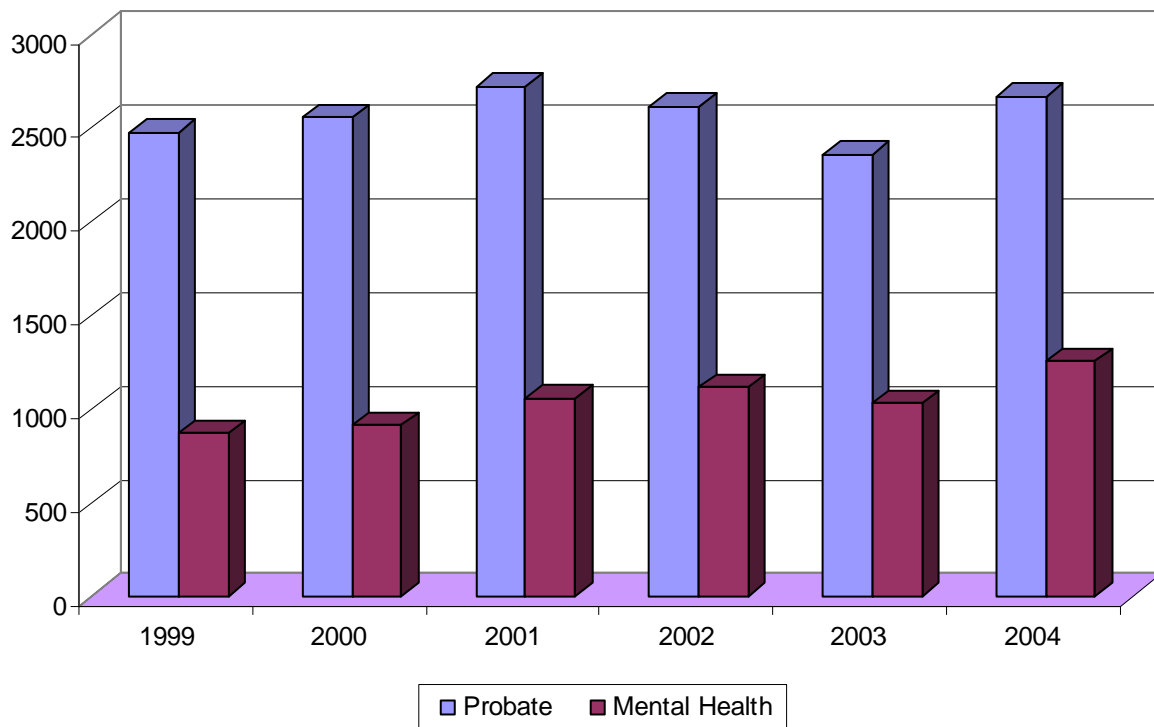


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Background Information on Probate and Mental Health Courts Filings

◆ New filings for Probate/Mental Health Court

New Filings in Probate and Mental Health Court



Probate Court cases are handled by Judges and Referees. Since 1999, there has been a 7.6% increase in new Probate Cases (trust, guardianship, conservatorship, etc.)

Mental Health Court cases are civil commitment cases and these are handled by Judges and Referees as well. These case types have increased 44% since 1999.

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Customer— *Provide fair & equal treatment, access to justice*

- ◆ Is the court perceived as fair to litigants and other constituents?
- ◆ Do litigants perceive they are being listened to?
- ◆ Do litigants understand the orders given by the court?
- ◆ Do litigants perceive that cases are resolved in a timely manner?

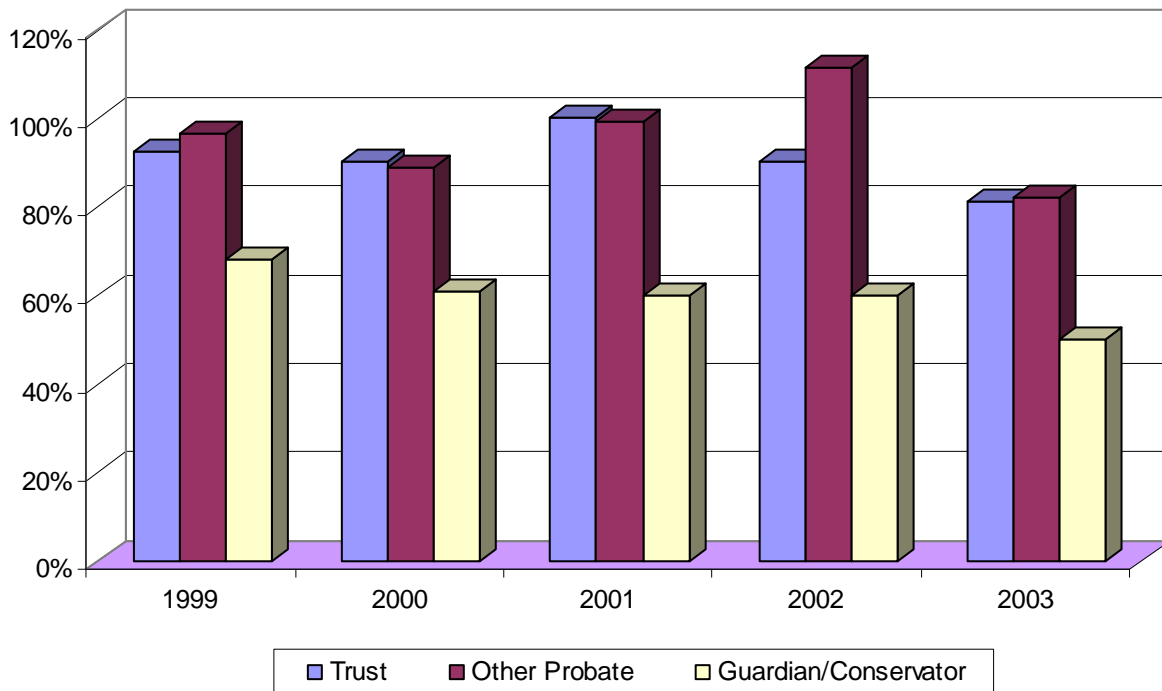
- ◆ Data being collected in April 2005

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Process - Fair & timely case processing, Effective & efficient case processing

◆ Clearance rates for Probate/Mental Health court

Clearance Rates for Major Probate Cases:
1999- 2003



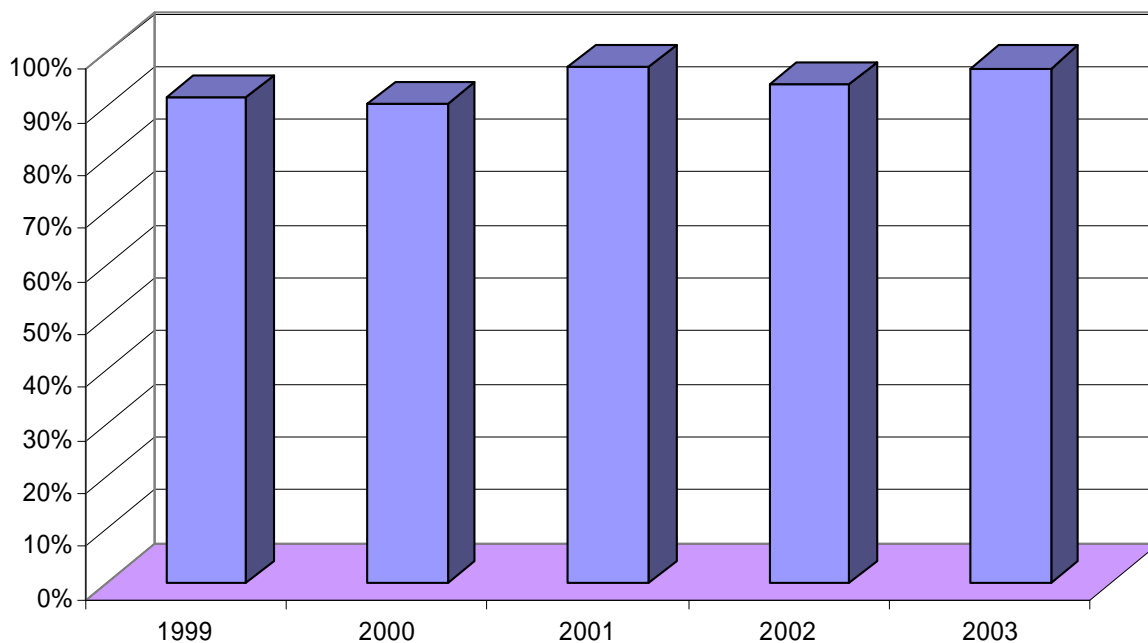
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Process - Fair & timely case processing, Effective & efficient case processing

◆ Clearance rates for Probate/Mental Health court

Clearance Rates for Mental Health Cases:
1999- 2003



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Process - Fair & timely case processing, Effective & efficient case processing

- ◆ **Age of Pending Cases for Probate and Mental Health Court**

- ◆ Unavailable at this time

- ◆ **Percent of cases pending for Probate and Mental Health Court**

- ◆ Unavailable at this time

- ◆ **Average Age of Disposed Cases in Probate and Mental Health Court**

- ◆ Unavailable at this time

- ◆ **Average Number of Appearances in Probate and Mental Health Court**

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